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**SONIC**

CAPCOM

**THE HEDGEHOG**

**UNITY  
NO MORE?!**



WELCOME TO THE COMIC BOOK UNIVERSES OF SONIC THE HEDGEHOG AND MEGA MAN – REALMS UNIQUE & BEYOND WHAT YOU KNOW FROM THE SEGA AND CAPCOM GAMES! WHERE THE WORLDS OF SONIC AND MEGA MAN HAVE COLLIDED IN THE PAST, AND WILL NOW UNITE!

# WORLDS UNITE



## SONIC™ THE HEDGEHOG

Sonic is the fastest, coolest hedgehog there is. He is free as the wind, and fights against the evil ambitions of Dr. Eggman!

## MEGA MAN™

PART SEVEN

Mega Man is a super fighting robot built by Dr. Light to protect his home and family from the evil forces of Dr. Wily.



### THE LEGION OF BOOM!

Sonic and Mega Man's worlds were fused together by the power of the evil Sigma's **Unity Engines**! While Sigma has managed to harness the energy from the unified worlds, he also unexpectedly brought together their heroes. **Sonic** and **Mega Man** were joined by **X**, **Sticks** and all their friends in the fight against **Sigma** to restore their worlds!



### CRIMINAL INTENT...

Meanwhile, the devious terrorist from Mega Man's world, **Xander Payne**, used his new-found powers to rescue **Dr. Eggman** and **Dr. Wily** from Sigma and his forces. The three villains escaped to the **Sky Patrol** and—eventually—joined the **Unified Army**.

### SIX DEADLY WAYS TO DIE!

The **Deadly Six**—who were first to fall to Sigma's corruption—led a violent horde of **mechaniroids** to attack the **Unified Army**! The vicious robot armada was swiftly destroyed...

...but the **Deadly Six** still had one more trick up their sleeves...



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# THE UNIFIED ARMY

-THE HEROES AND VILLAINS OF WORLDS UNITE-

## SONIC'S WORLD

THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS



SONIC



TAILS



AMY ROSE



KNUCKLES



BIG



CREAM & CHEESE



GEMERL



NICOLE



SALLY



ANTOINE



BUNNIE



ROTOR

## MEGA MAN'S WORLD

ROBOT HEROES FROM THE YEAR 20XX



MEGA MAN



ROLL



BREAK MAN



RUSH



AIR MAN



BUBBLE MAN



FLASH MAN



WOOD MAN



HARD MAN



SNAKE MAN



SPARK MAN



SHADOW MAN



QUAKE WOMAN

## MEGA MAN'S FUTURE

REPLOID HEROES FROM THE YEAR 21XX



X



ZERO



AXL

## SONIC BOOM WORLD

STICKS MADE THEM FOLLOW HER



STICKS



COMEDY CHIMP



FASTIDIOUS BEAVER

## THE DEADLY SIX

MIND-CONTROLLED SERVANTS OF SIGMA



ZAVOK



ZAZZ



ZOMOM



ZIK



ZEENA



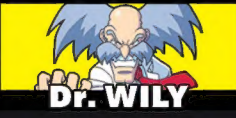
ZOR

## THE MAD MEN

ENEMIES OF SIGMA—  
BUT FRIENDS OF SONIC AND MEGA MAN?



Dr. EGGMAN



Dr. WILY



XANDER PAYNE



**SIGMA**  
CONQUEROR OF WORLDS

ABOARD THE SKY  
PATROL, HIGH  
ABOVE THE DYING  
UNIFIED WORLD...

# WORLDS UNITE!

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MEGA  
MAN! X!  
KNOCK IT  
OFF!

I  
CAN'T!

NRGHH!  
I'M  
SORRY!

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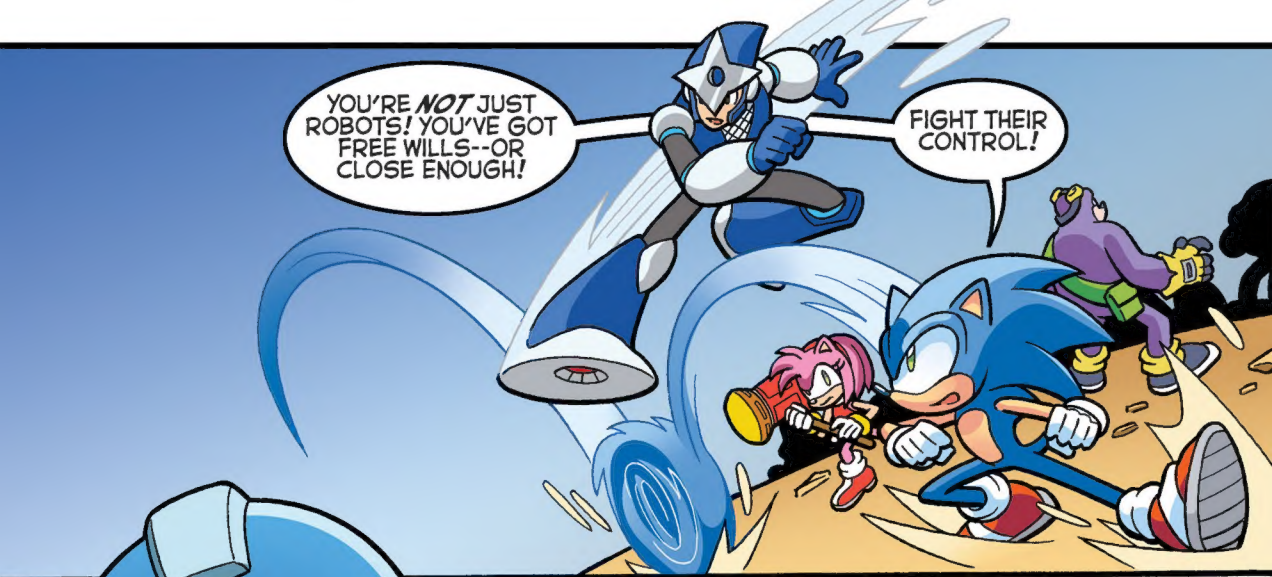
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HALF YOUR FRIENDS  
ARE MACHINES, SONIC.  
OUR POWERS MAKE  
THEM OUR PUPPETS!



YOU'RE *NOT* JUST ROBOTS! YOU'VE GOT FREE WILLS--OR CLOSE ENOUGH!

FIGHT THEIR CONTROL!



I AM TRYING! BUT THEIR POWER IS OVERRULING MY THOUGHTS!

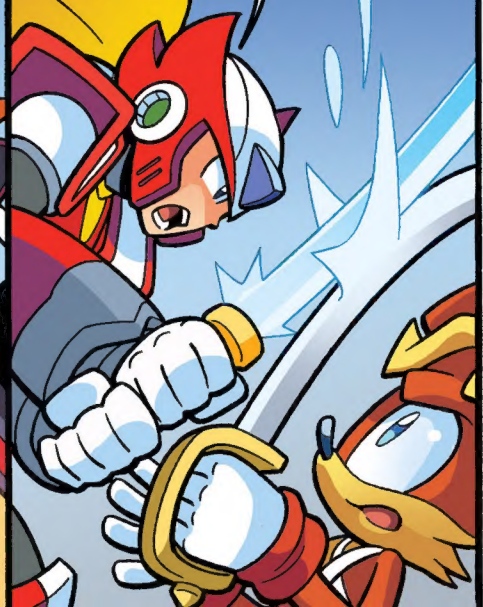


IS THIS WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE INFECTED BY THE SIGMA VIRUS?

I-I DON'T WANT TO BECOME A MAVERICK!



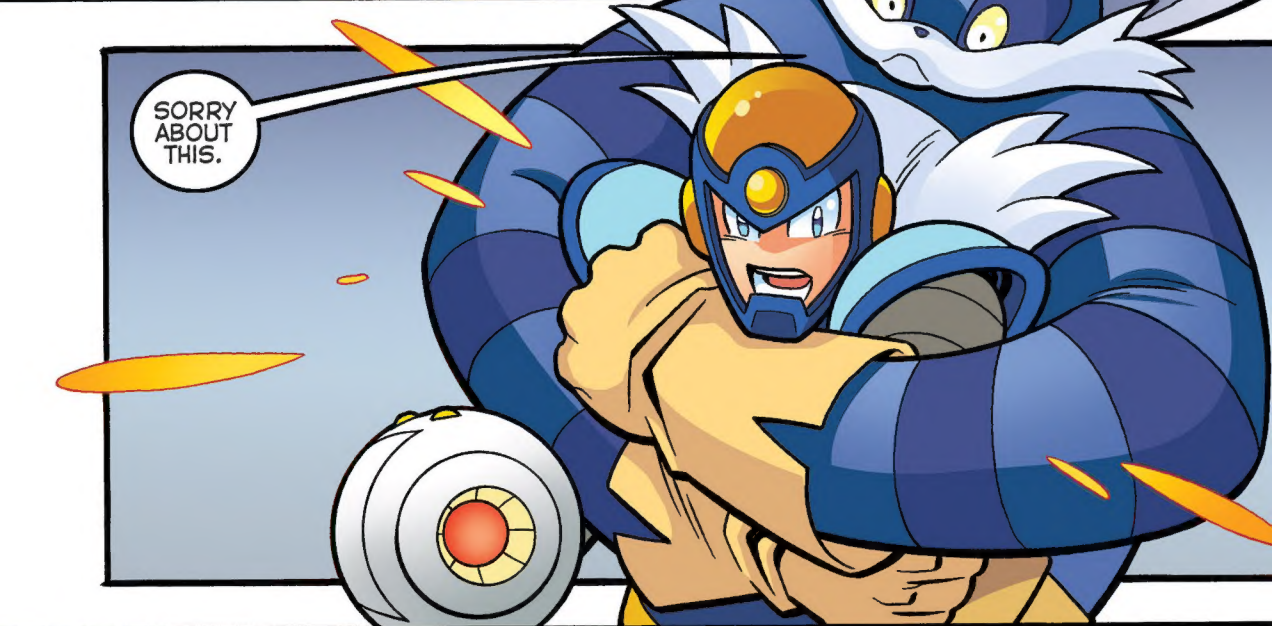
KEEP IT TOGETHER, KID! WE'RE *NOT* MAVERICKS! DO YOUR BEST TO PULL YOUR PUNCHES!





WE NEED TO STOP THE DEADLY SIX, SO--

**FREEDOM FIGHTERS!**  
SONIC WANTS YOU TO COORDINATE AND TAKE DOWN THE MONSTERS CONTROLLING US!



SORRY ABOUT THIS.



WHOOSH!



SO SORRY ABOUT THIS.

THEN WHY ARE YOU SMILING?!

MUST BE THE DEADLY SIX --HEH HEH!



THEY'RE OUTNUMBERED TWO-TO-ONE OUT THERE! I'VE GOT TO JOIN THE FIGHT!

ROCK--!



CREAM! STAY HERE!

B-BUT I CAN HELP!

IT'S TOO DANGEROUS!



SAME FOR YOU, ROLL. I DON'T WANT TO LOSE YOU TO THOSE MONSTERS, TOO.

YES, MA'AM.



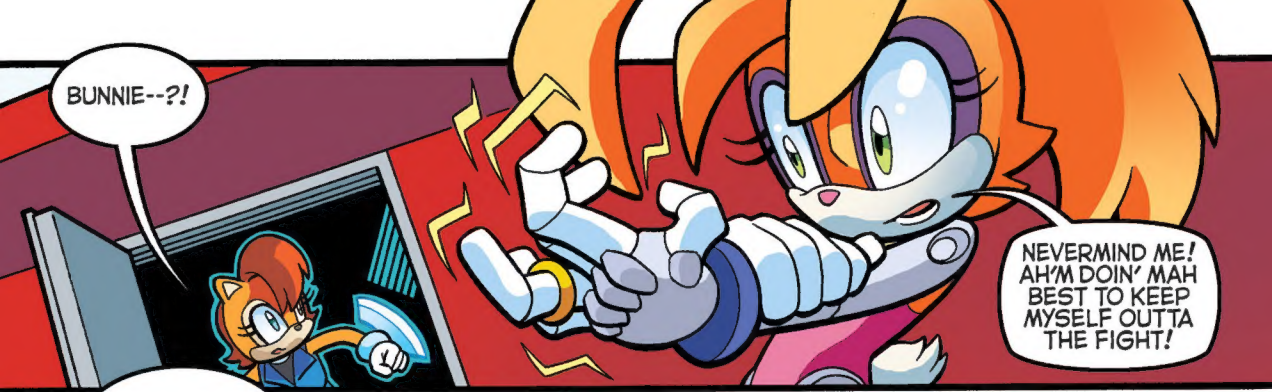
NICOLE, YOU HAVE COMMAND OF THE BRIDGE. KEEP US IN THE AIR!

AYE-AYE!

AND TELL THE DOCTORS--



...THEY'RE OUT OF TIME! WE NEED THEIR HELP NOW!



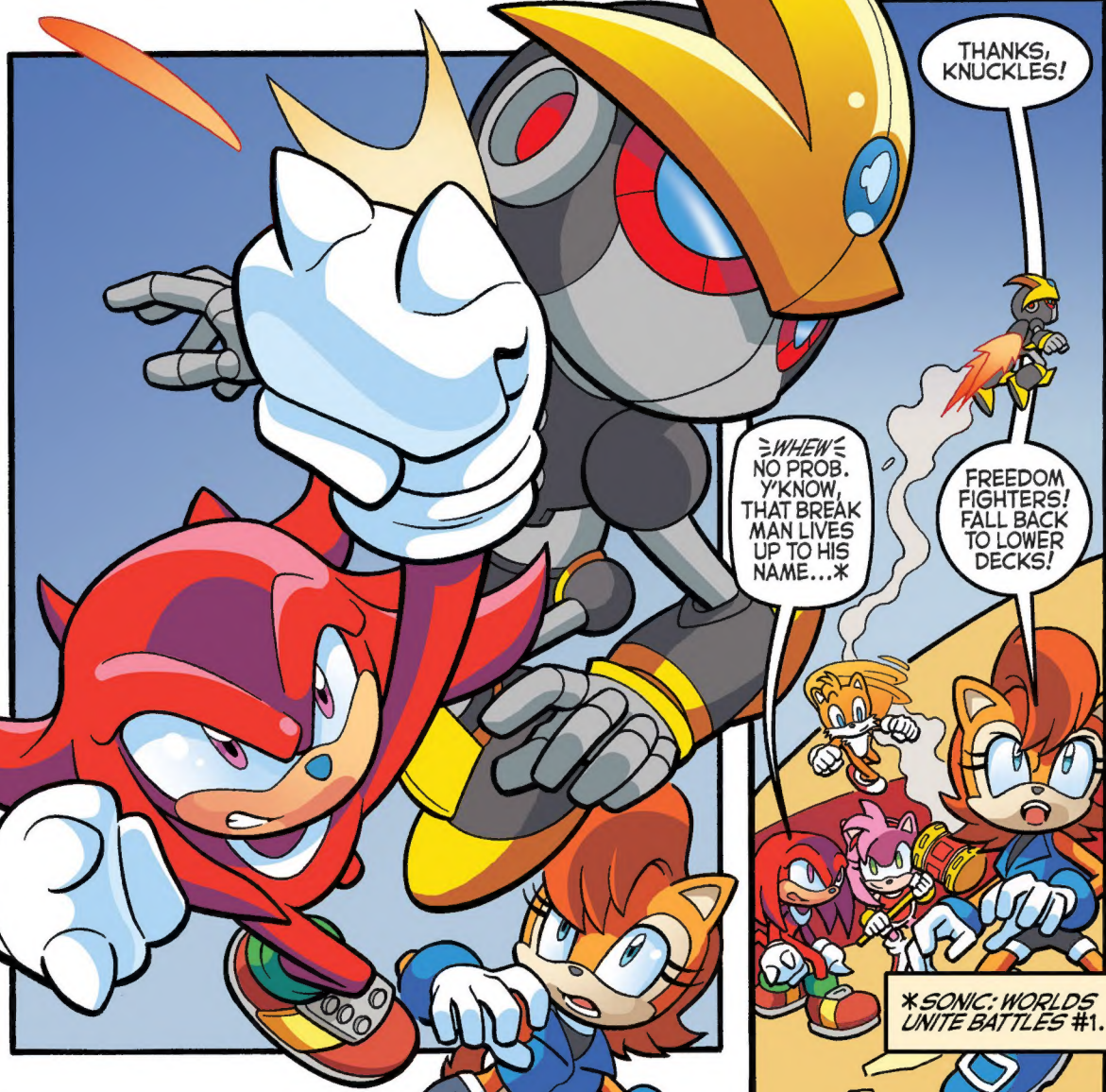
BUNNIE--?!

NEVERMIND ME!  
AH'M DOIN' MAH  
BEST TO KEEP  
MYSELF OUTTA  
THE FIGHT!



WHOA!

SORRY!  
THIS IS *REALLY*  
EMBARRASSING.



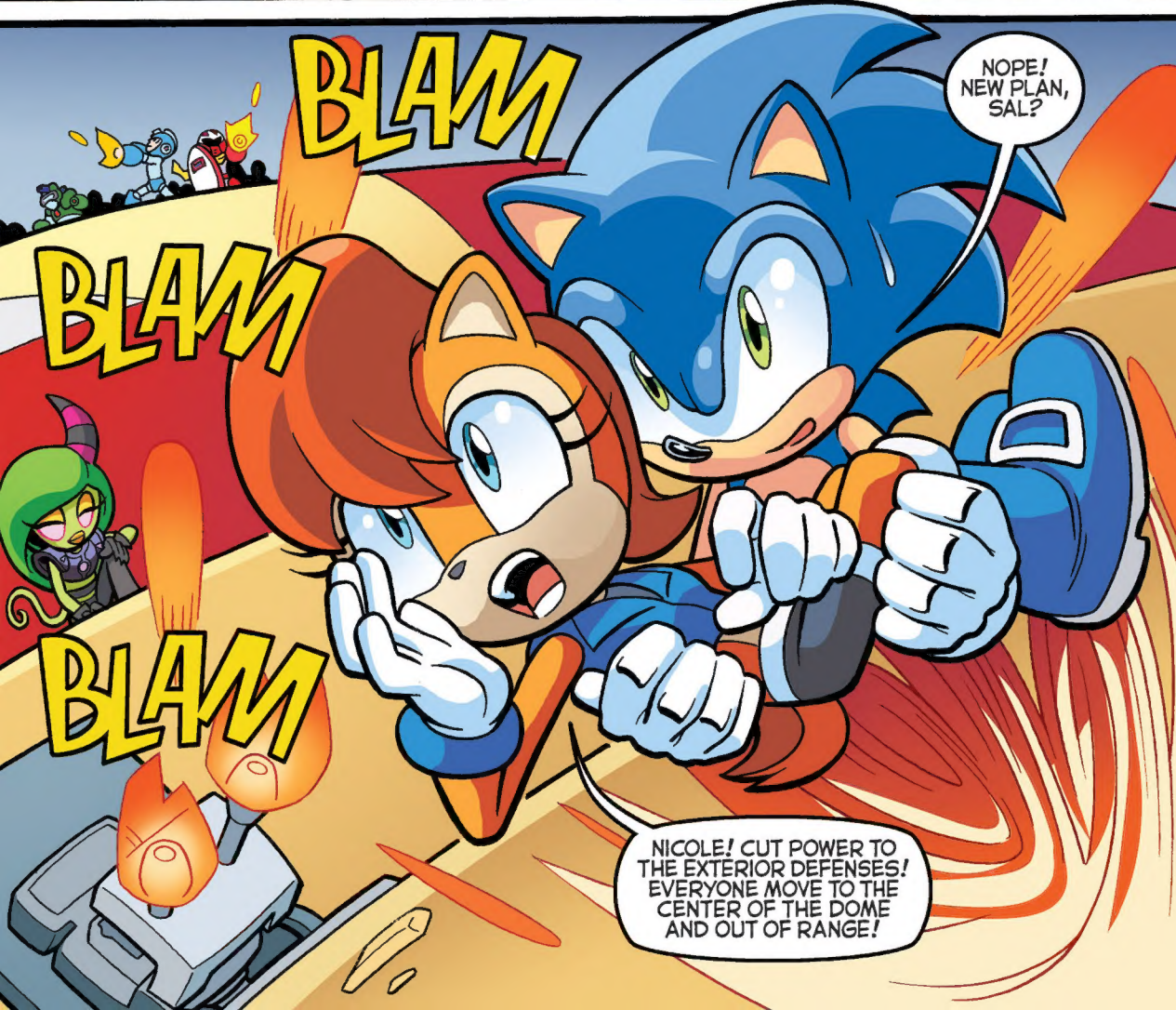
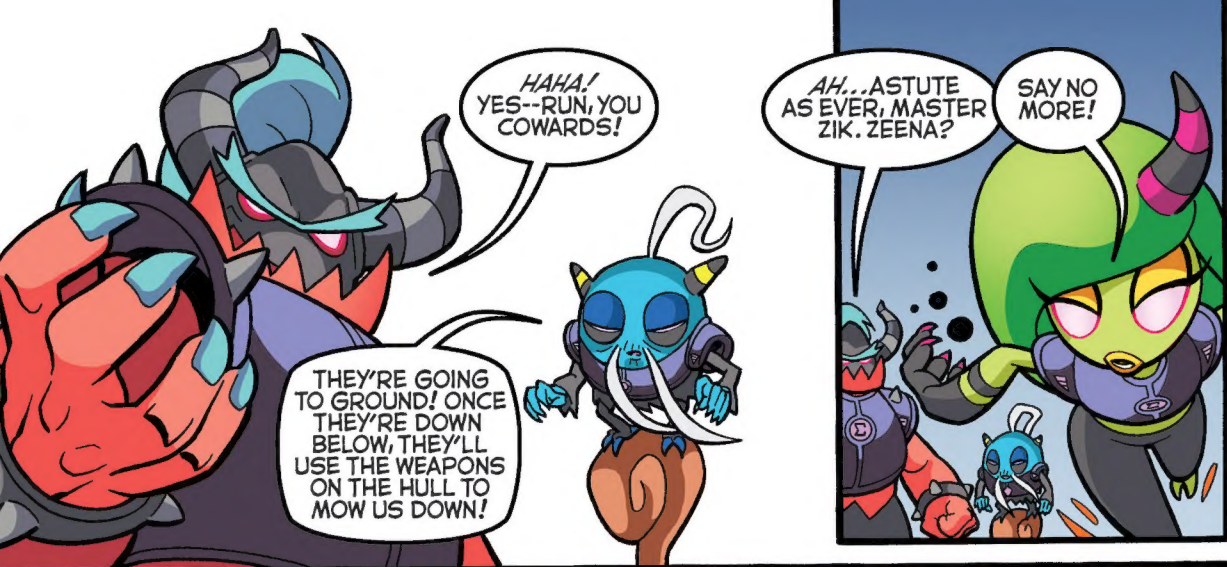
THANKS,  
KNUCKLES!

≡WHEW≡  
NO PROB.  
Y'KNOW,  
THAT BREAK  
MAN LIVES  
UP TO HIS  
NAME...\*

FREEDOM  
FIGHTERS!  
FALL BACK  
TO LOWER  
DECKS!

\*SONIC: WORLD'S  
UNITE BATTLES #1.







HEY, BOSS! LET'S JUST TAKE COMMAND OF THIS ENTIRE THING AND DRIVE IT INTO THE GROUND!

OOH! OOH! OR PAST THE GROUND AND INTO THE PLANET'S CORE!

THAT WOULD **KILL US.**

*Y-YEAH...* BUT WE COULD...ESCAPE FIRST?

WE BARELY HAVE THE STRENGTH TO STAND, LET ALONE COMMAND ALL THESE ROBOTS. DON'T DIVIDE OUR FOCUS ANY FURTHER.

ADVANCE ON THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS! LET US FINISH THIS BATTLE...

*"...BEFORE SOMETHING ELSE UNEXPECTED HAPPENS."*

*SOMEWHERE ELSE ENTIRELY...*



...AND THEN I SAID,  
"WELL, *OF COURSE* THE  
SECRET MESSAGE MADE  
NO SENSE! YOU DIDN'T  
*COOK* THE PASTA!"

UH...  
HUH.

SO TO PROVE MY  
POINT, I WENT FOR  
A JAR OF PASTA  
SAUCE. BUT IT  
WOULDN'T OPEN--  
WHICH IS WHAT THEY  
WANT YOU TO  
STRUGGLE WITH!

THAT POP CAP  
DOESN'T STAND FOR  
FRESHNESS! IT  
STANDS FOR  
CONSPIRACY!

I'LL...TAKE IT UNDER  
CONSIDERATION. BUT  
YOU WERE SAYING  
SOMETHING ABOUT  
"SIGMA" AND  
"GENESIS PORTALS"?

OH, YEAH! X AND HIS  
BUDDIES--THE GUYS  
WHO COME FROM  
THE FUTURE AND  
HUNT MAVERICKS,  
REMEMBER?--TOLD  
ME ABOUT IT ALL!

"GENESIS  
PORTALS"  
ARE HOLES IN  
REALITY!

BUH...?

I FELL IN ONE AND  
LANDED ON THE SIDE-  
WALK OUT THERE!  
THAT'S WHERE YOU  
FOUND ME.

AND SIGMA IS THE BAD GUY BEHIND ALL THE WEIRDNESS! HE USED TO BE X'S BOSS, AND THEN HE WENT MAVERICK-CRAZY!

NOW HE'S USING THE GENESIS PORTALS TO INVADE A BUNCH OF WORLDS! HE'S ONLY GOTTEN TO TWO SO FAR, BUT HE'S PROBABLY GONNA TRY TO EAT YOUR PLANET, TOO.

om  
nom  
nom

THAT'S WHY X HAD ME RECRUIT SOME FOLKS AND JOIN HIM IN HIS CROSS-DIMENSIONAL-PLANET-SAVING-MISSION-OF-JUSTICE-AND-AWESOME!

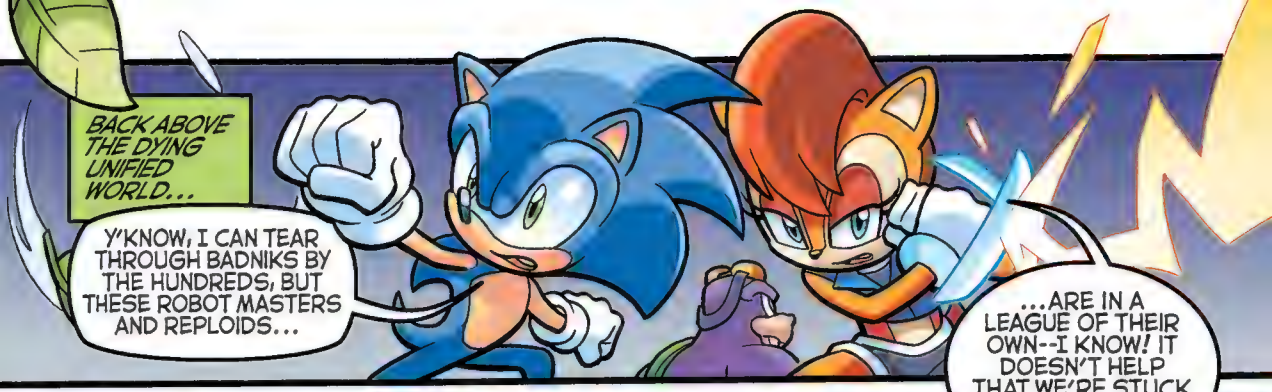
AND THEN WE MET A BUNCH OF ROBOTS! AND FOLKS LIKE ME! AND WE FLEW AROUND ON A BIG SHIP! AND I BEAT UP A BROOM!\* AND I MET MEGA MAN! AND SONIC! AND X!

\* SONIC: WORLDS UNITE BATTLES #1.

HUH... "SONIC, X"... NAH, IT'D NEVER LAST PAST THREE SEASONS...

ANYWAY! DO YOU HAVE ANY FRIENDS WHO WOULD WANT TO FIGHT A BIG, BALD MAN AND SAVE ALL OF CREATION?!

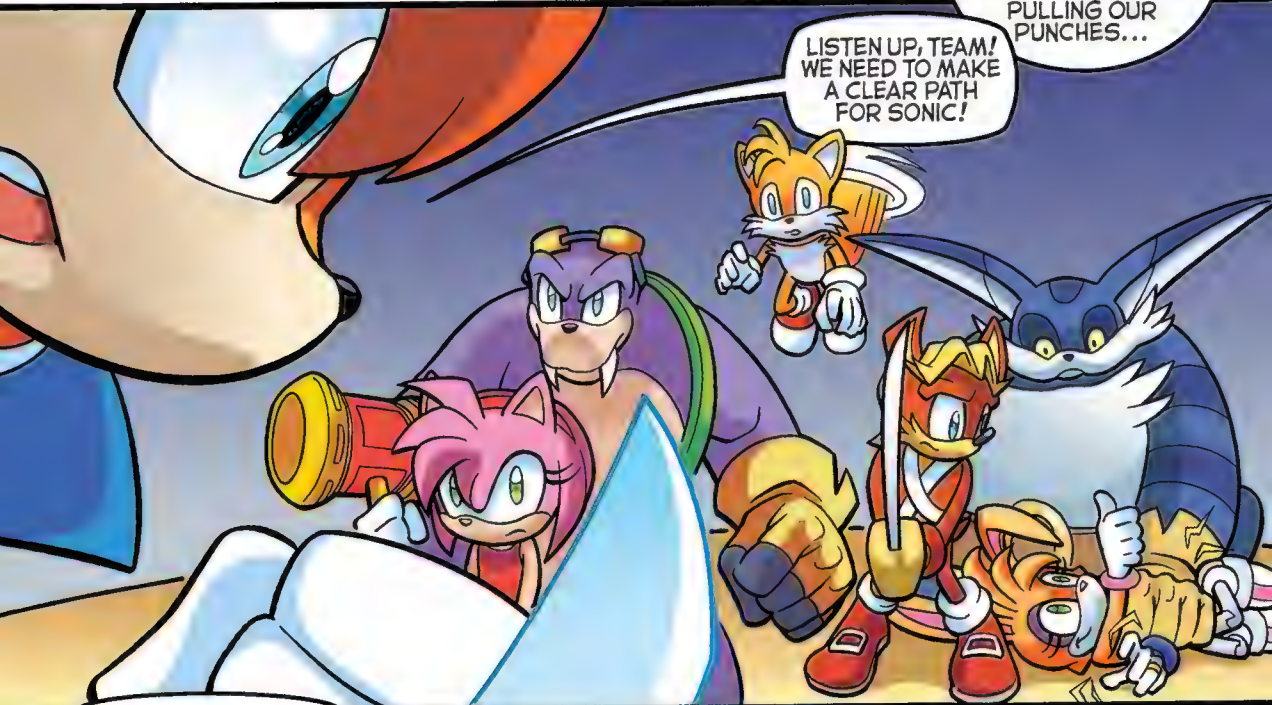
OH, DEFINITELY. LET ME MAKE A FEW CALLS.



BACK ABOVE THE DYING UNIFIED WORLD...

Y'KNOW, I CAN TEAR THROUGH BADNIKS BY THE HUNDREDS, BUT THESE ROBOT MASTERS AND REPLOIDS...

...ARE IN A LEAGUE OF THEIR OWN--I KNOW! IT DOESN'T HELP THAT WE'RE STUCK PULLING OUR PUNCHES...



LISTEN UP, TEAM! WE NEED TO MAKE A CLEAR PATH FOR SONIC!



NUH-UH! I CAN'T SAVE YOU IF YOU SACRIFICE YOURSELF, SAL!

AND THEN SONIC IS GOING TO TAKE OUT THE DEADLY SIX AS FAST AS POSSIBLE! WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR DEBATE! ON MY MARK!



LOOK OUT!

NRRGH!

GET UP!  
MOVE!  
MOVE!

I'M  
SORRY...

WEAPONS-  
GRADE GENIUS--  
COMING  
THROUGH!

EGG-WILY  
UPPITY ROBOT  
SCRAMBLER  
CANNON  
FIRE!!!

ZANN!


ZANN!



**THUD!**




AND WITH THAT,  
IT OVERHEATS.  
SUCH A PITY.




WE COULD'VE  
HAD THE HEAT  
ISSUE SORTED  
OUT, BUT *SOME*  
HEROES JUST  
*HAD* TO RUSH  
PRODUCTION...




YOU  
JUST  
KILLED  
MEGA  
MAN!



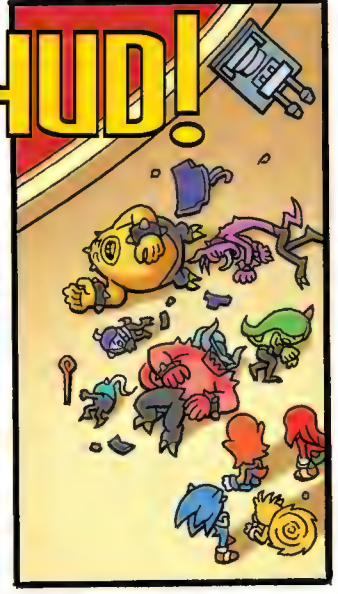
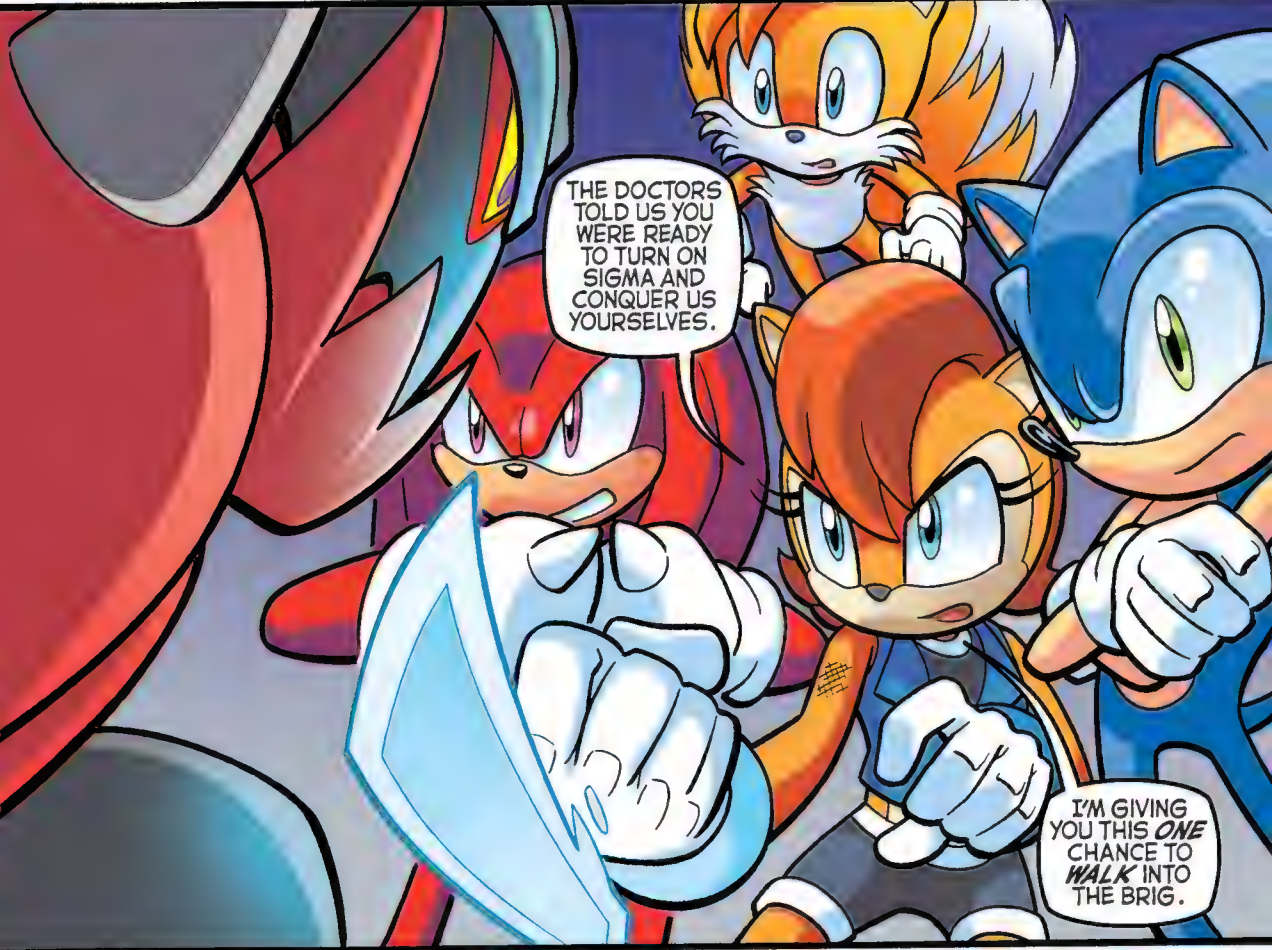
OF COURSE WE  
DIDN'T! WE NEED ALL  
THE HELP WE CAN GET  
TO FIGHT SIGMA. OUR  
CONCENTRATED ION  
BEAM MERELY *DIS-*  
*ABLED* THEM ALL.



ALL WITHOUT  
HARMING THE SKY  
PATROL'S--*GET OFF*  
*ME!*--SYSTEMS!



"IT ALSO TOOK CARE  
OF THE DEADLY SIX'S  
POWER-BOOSTING  
ARMOR!"







HOW BAD IS THE DAMAGE, NICOLE?

*SURPRISINGLY LIGHT.*

ONCE I GET THE WEAPONS BACK ON-LINE, WE'LL STILL HAVE FORTY PERCENT OFFENSIVE POWER.

THE HULL TOOK A BEATING, BUT OUR ENERGY FIELD IS INTACT.

SAVOR THE SMALL MIRACLES, HUH?

ALL RIGHT, PEOPLE --GET BELOW DECKS! I WANT THE DEADLY SIX LOCKED UP AND THE ENTIRE BRIG LOCKED DOWN!

FREEDOM FIGHTERS TO THE MED BAY! ROBOT MASTERS TO THE MACHINE BAY!

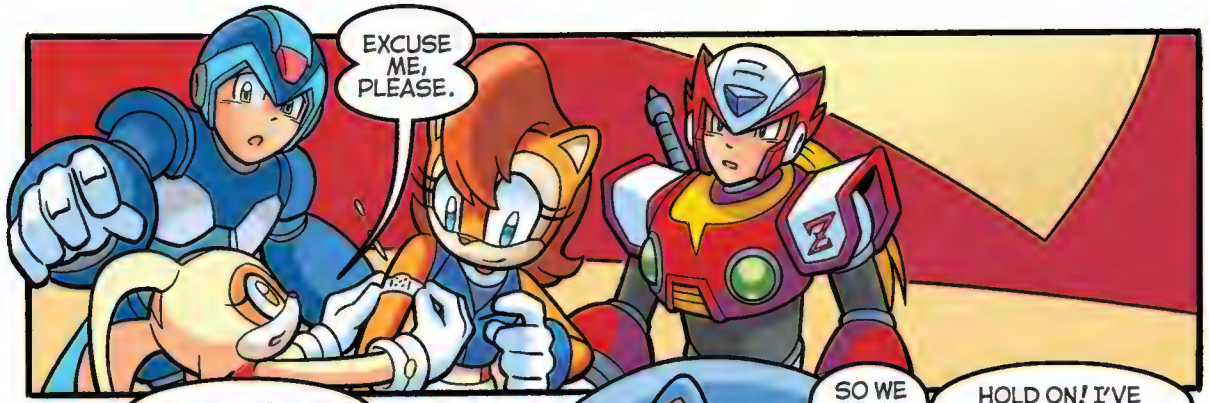
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? WE NEED TO PRESS THE OFFENSIVE!

WE--*NGH!*--ARE IN NO CONDITION TO FIGHT NOW. WE NEED TO REST, RECHARGE ... LITERALLY, IN SOME CASES...

WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR THAT!

SHE'S RIGHT. ANY ATTACK NOW WOULD BE SUICIDE.

AND SIGMA'S BEEN GAINING STRENGTH WHILE WE'VE BEEN BUSY FIGHTING HERE. WE CAN'T GIVE HIM ANY MORE TIME TO PREPARE FOR US!



EXCUSE ME, PLEASE.

WHAT'S THE PLAN?

WE'RE DISCUSSING THAT NOW.

THERE'S NO DISCUSSION! EVERY SECOND SPENT WAITING IS ONE MORE FOR SIGMA!

SO WE HIT HIM HARD WHILE HE THINKS WE'RE ON THE ROPES, RIGHT?

HOLD ON! I'VE TAKEN ON GAUNTLETS OF ROBOT MASTERS BEFORE, AND IT'S NEARLY DESTROYED ME. THE ONLY THING THAT SAVED ME WAS TAKING THE TIME TO PREPARE BETWEEN FIGHTS.



WHERE'S STICKS? SHE'LL BACK ME UP ON THE "ATTACK NOW, WORRY LATER" IDEA.

I... HAVEN'T SEEN HER SINCE THE FIGHT.



THANK YOU, CREAM. ONCE YOU'VE TENDED TO EVERY-ONE, HAVE COMEDY AND FASTIDIOUS HELP YOU FIND STICKS, PLEASE.

YO! STICKS!

STICKS?

YES, MA'AM. I HOPE SHE'S ALL RIGHT.

ME, TOO. BUT KNOWING HER, SHE'S PROBABLY CRAWLING THROUGH A DUCT SOMEWHERE.

ZRRRMMM

YO, WHAT'S THAT... NOISE...?



HIDDEN LAB,  
LOST HEX...

AT LAST--IT ALL COMES  
TO FRUITION. MY ARMY  
HAS BEEN RAISED AND  
HEADS INTO GLORIOUS  
BATTLE...

...THE  
MERGED  
WORLD HAS  
BEEN NEARLY  
TAPPED  
OF ITS  
ENERGY...

...AND WILL THUS FUEL  
MY METAMORPHOSIS. MY  
EVOLUTION TOWARDS  
GODHOOD BEGINS *NOW!*

FIGHT, MY ARMY OF  
THE RESURRECTED!  
I HAVE STOLEN YOU  
FROM DEATH'S GRIP  
SO THAT YOU MAY  
REAP THE LIVES OF  
COUNTLESS WORLDS!

AND  
YOU WILL  
START  
WITH THE  
FOOLS WHO  
THOUGHT  
THEY COULD  
STOP MY  
ASCENSION!

HA!  
HAHA

*rrrrrrumble...*

HA  
HA  
HA!

HAHAHA!

HA!

HAHAHA!



HAHAHA! HA!





**THE UNIFIED ARMY IS ON THE ROPES!**  
NOW THEY FACE EVERY **MAVERICK BOSS** EVER!  
CAN THEY **SURVIVE?** AND **WHO** DID STICKS  
JUST **RECRUIT?!**

FIND OUT WITH **PART EIGHT** IN MEGA MAN #51!

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## OFF PANEL

## THE PIE'S THE LIMIT!

## OR CHIMP AND Z



IN HINDSIGHT, THIS GAG WORKS WAY BETTER WITH MY WOLF SIDEKICK...

EH-HEH.

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